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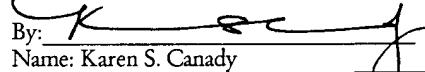
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 24, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claim 14 without prejudice, amend claims 1 and 15, and add new claims 16-21 as follows:

1. (TWICE AMENDED) A method of producing secretory Ig (sIg) molecules comprising transfected a non-plant cell producing an Ig with a polynucleotide encoding secretory component (SC) to form an SC transfected Ig producing cell, and culturing the SC transfected Ig producing cell so as to produce secretory Ig molecules.

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